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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Manufacturing Services Division, ORR

25X1A ATTENTION : 
THROUGH : Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, CGS
FROM : Chief, CIA/PID (NPIC)
SUBJECT : Port Facilities, Ben Thuy, North Vietnam
REFERENCES : (1) Requirement No. C-RR4-81,210
(2) Project No. C 565/64

1. This memorandum is in response to the above referenced requirement calling for a comparative study of the port facilities using the latest date photography over Ben Thuy, North Vietnam, and IB 122/64, in which  photography was used. 25X1D

2. There was no apparent change in the port facilities at Ben Thuy. However, at a point approximately 6.5 nautical miles downstream, a patrol boat base and repair facility is under construction. Enclosure CIA/PID/IB-P-682/64 is an annotated photo enlargement of this facility. There are two piers in the port area: one pier (Annotation 3), is approximately 370 feet long; the other pier (Annotation 10), although under construction, will extend approximately 400 feet into the river and the "T" head which parallels the shoreline will be approximately 200 feet long.

3. The photo analyst assigned to this project was  who may be contacted on extension 2547, should any questions arise concerning this memorandum. This requirement is considered complete. 25X1A

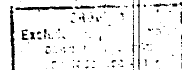
ENCLOSURES:

1 Annotated Photo
(CIA/PID/IB-P-682/64)

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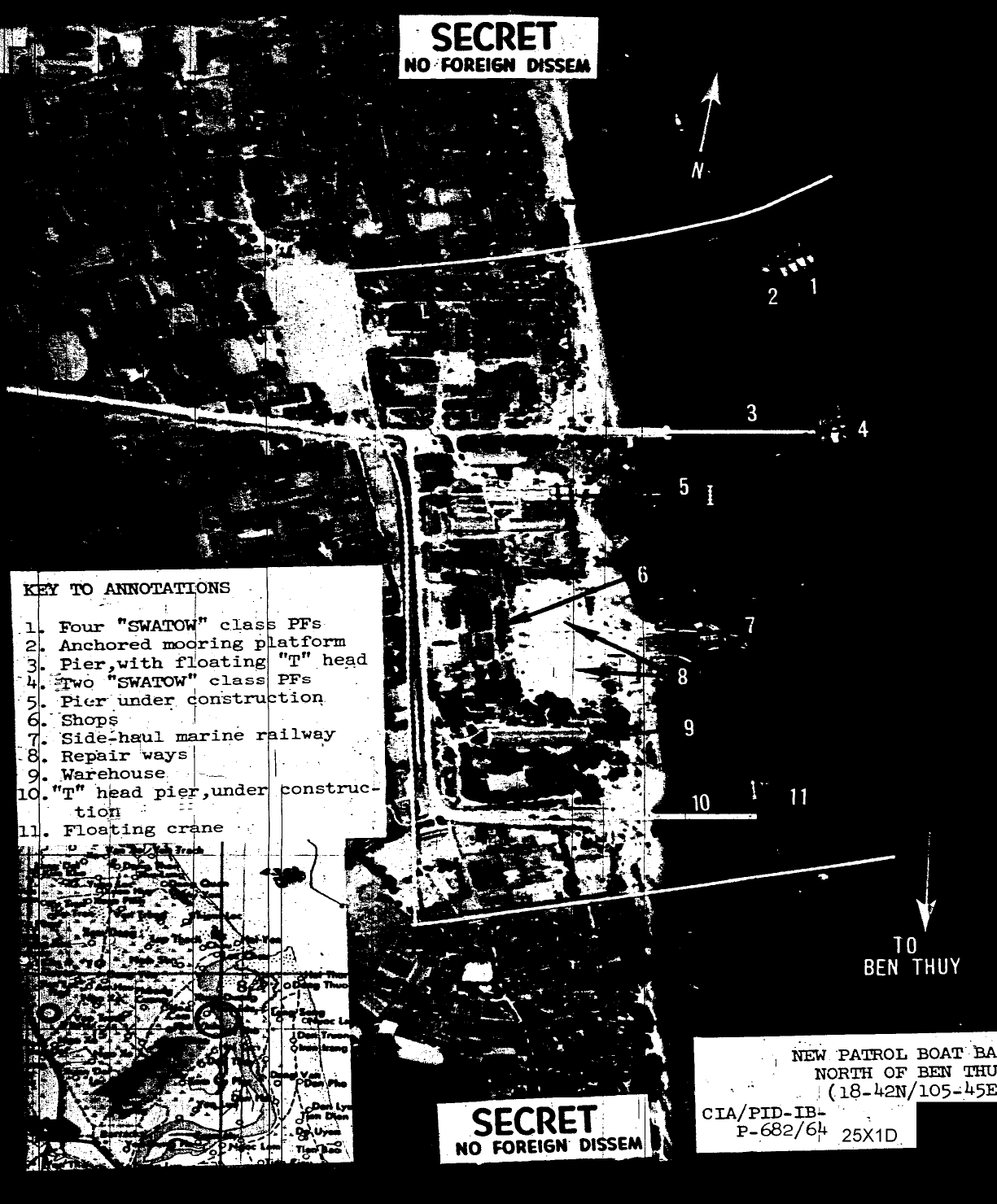
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KEY TO ANNOTATIONS

1. Four "SWATOW" class PFs
2. Anchored mooring platform
3. Pier, with floating "T" head
4. Two "SWATOW" class PFs
5. Pier under construction
6. Shops
7. Side-haul marine railway
8. Repair ways
9. Warehouse
10. "T" head pier, under construction
11. Floating crane



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NEW PATROL BOAT BASE
NORTH OF BEN THUY
(18-42N/105-45E)

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